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American Wigeon, First Place
By Derreck Jackson, age 16, Art teacher: Paula Flohr
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	American Wetland Month Fifteen year Anniv. North American Waterfowl Management Plan	1	2	3	4	5
6	7 ○ Full Moon	8	9	10	11	12 Modoc Migratory Bird Festival, Modoc NWR (530) 233-3572 SF Bay Migratory Bird Festival, (408) 262-5513 International Migratory Bird Day Butte Sink NWR Established 1980
13 Modoc Migratory Bird Festival, Modoc NWR (530) 233-3572 International Migratory Bird Festival, Sacramento Zoo (916) 264-5889 Mother's Day	14 North American Waterfowl Management Plan Signed 1986	15 ● Last Quarter	16	17	18	19
20	21	22 ● New Moon	23	24	25	26
27	28 Memorial Day	29 ● First Quarter	30	31		

Unlike other dabbling ducks, wigeon eat the leafy parts and stems of aquatic plants. In the Sacramento Valley, wigeon are known to feed heavily on rice during winter. They will also graze on upland grasses.

Wigeon have a habit of robbing diving waterfowl, such as redheads, and coots of plant material hanging from their bills.

Ninety-five percent of the wigeon marked with leg bands in Alaska are recovered in the Pacific Flyway.

Wigeon using the Central and Mississippi flyways come mainly from Canada's northern marshes. They migrate to gulf coast states and down into Mexico.



Mallard, Second Place
By Ben Tilson, age 11, Art teacher: Mike Bennett
Park View Middle School, Yucaipa